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Duty Magistrate Judge Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street, Rm. 5A New York, New York 10007

Re: <u>United States v. Rossi Luis Cruz</u>

23-MJ-5166 (UA)

Dear Judge:

Undersigned counsel has recently discovered a conflict within the Federal Defenders of New York with respect to Mr. Rossi Luis Cruz. Accordingly, undersigned counsel respectfully moves to withdraw as counsel for Mr. Cruz and asks the Court to appoint CJA Counsel to represent Mr. Cruz moving forward.

Request GRANTED. CJA Susan Kellman is hereby appointed as counsel for Defendant Rossi Luis Cruz. SO ORDERED.

Dated: 7/18/2023

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Respectfully Submitted,

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